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MEMORANDUM FOR:	Director	of	Central	Intelligence
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FROM:

Director, Office of External Affairs

SUBJECT:

Invitation to Address the Los Angeles World Affairs Council

1. Action Requested: Accept or decline this invitation.

2. Background: Edmonde A. Haddad, Executive Director of the Los Angeles World Affairs Council, has asked you to address a luncheon or dinner meeting of this thirty-year-old Council sometime during this coming fall or the early winter of 1983. This group has a membership of 9,000 leading citizens of the Southern California area and constitutes a forum for the study of international issues. U.S. Attorney General William French Smith is a past president of this organization. Other notables who have served as directors or presidents of the Council are former Secretary of Defense Harold Brown, former CIA Director John McCone, Budget Director Roy Ash and Leonard Firestone.

Fifty-eight heads of state have spoken to the Council. Among those most recently to have appeared were President Kyprianou of Cyprus and Queen Beatrix of the Netherlands. If you do accept their invitation, the Council has requested permission to publish your remarks in the Council's new quarterly, the World Affairs Journal, which reaches a world-wide audience of over 10,000.

3. Recommendation: Accept or decline the invitation and authorize Public Affairs to respond on your behalf.

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